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Dear Messrs. Klein, Hebdon, Gurske, Logan, and Henschel:

Re: Quarterly Notification of Class 1 Modifications to the Hanford Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Permit, Dangerous Waste Portion, (Quarter ending December 31, 2003, Permit Condition I.C.3)

Enclosed are the outstanding Modification Notification Forms previously held in pending, contingent upon completion of actions agreed to in a separate meeting. The Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology) has reviewed and denied the referenced quarterly Class 1 Modifications indicated below.

The denied quarterly modifications include:

1324-N Surface Impoundment, Chapter 18 Attachment 42: Hanford Facility RCRA Permit, V.18: Denied

1324-NA Percolation Pond, Chapter 19 Attachment 42: Hanford Facility RCRA Permit, VI.3: Denied

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1324-N Surface Impoundment and 1324-NA Percolation Pond, Chapter 3, Attachment 42: All modifications are denied. Approval of the Post-Closure Groundwater Monitoring Plan is required prior to approval of move to Part VI of the Hanford Facility RCRA Permit.

If you have any questions or comments regarding this letter, please contact me at (509) 372-7894.

Sincerely,

Greta P. Davis

Hanford Sitewide RCRA Permit Coordinator

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Nuclear Waste Program

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Hanford Facility RCRA Permit Modification Notification Form Unit: Permit Part & Chapter: 1324-N Surface Impoundment Part V, Chapter 18, Attachment 42 Description of Modification:

Hanford Facility RCRA Permit V.18.: Because closure has been completed and certified, delete B1.0 through B4.0. These sections pertain to requirements that were applicable during closure of the 1324-N Surface Impoundment. Move this unit to Part VI, Chapter 3, for postclosure requirements for the 1324-N Surface Impoundment and 1324-NA Percolation Pond.

CHAPTER 18

1324-N Surface Impoundment

The 1324-N Surface Impoundment is an inactive TSD unit that is currently undergoing modified closure activities. This TSD unit was operated as a percolation unit for dangerous wastes. This Chapter sets forth the modified closure requirements for this TSD unit.V.18.A. <u>COMPLIANCE WITH APPROVED MODIFIED CLOSURE PLAN</u>

The Permittees shall comply with all requirements set forth in the 1324 N Closure Plan found in Attachment 42 (DOE/RL 96-39, Rev. 1, Appendix B), including the Amendments specified in Condition V.18.B. Enforceable portions of the Plan are listed below; all subsections, figures, and tables included in these portions are also enforceable, unless stated otherwise:

ATTACHMENT 42:

Part A. Form 3, Permit Application, Revision 3, June 30, 1994

Section B1.0 Introduction, from Class 1 Modifications for quarter ending September 30, 2001

Section B2.1 General Description of Unit, from Class 1 Modifications for quarter ending September 30, 2001

Section B3.0 Ground Water Monitoring, from Class I Modifications for quarter ending September 30, 2001

Section B4.0 — Closure, from Class 1 Modifications for quarter ending September 30, 2001

Section B5.0 - Post-Closure Plan, from Class 1 Modifications for quarter ending September 30, 2001

V.18.B. AMENDMENTS TO THE APPROVED MODIFIED CLOSURE PLAN

V-18.B.1. (Reserved)

Modification Class: 123	Class 1	Class ¹ 1	Class 2	Class 3
Please check one of the Classes:		X		

Relevant WAC 173-303-830, Appendix I Modification:

Enter wording of the modification from WAC 173-303-830, Appendix I citation:

A. General Permit Provisions

1. Administrative and Informational changes

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Hanford Facility RCRA Permit Modification Notification Form Unit: Permit Part & Chapter: 1324-NA Percolation Pond Part V, Chapter 19, Attachment 42 Description of Modification:

Hanford Facility RCRA Permit V.19.: Because closure has been completed and certified, delete B1.0 through B4.0. These sections pertain to requirements that were applicable during closure of the 1324-NA Percolation Pond. Move this unit to Part VI, Chapter 3, for postclosure requirements for the 1324-N Surface Impoundment and 1324-NA Percolation Pond.

CHAPTER 19

1324-NA Percolation Pond

The 1324 NA Percolation Pond is an inactive TSD unit that is currently undergoing modified closure activities. This TSD unit was operated as a surface impoundment unit for dangerous wastes. This Chapter sets forth the modified closure requirements for this TSD unit.

V.19.A. COMPLIANCE WITH APPROVED MODIFIED CLOSURE PLAN

The Permittees shall comply with all requirements set forth in the 1324 N Closure Plan found in Attachment 42 (DOE/RL-96-39, Rev. 1, Appendix B), including the Amendments specified in Condition V.18.B. Enforced be portions of the Plan are listed below; all subsections, figures, and tables included in these portions are also enforceable, unless stated otherwise:

ATTACHMENT 42:

Part A, Form 3, Permit Application, Revision 3, June 30, 1994

Section B1.0 Introduction, from Class 1 Modifications for quarter ending September 30, 2001

Section B2.1 General Description of Unit, from Class 1 Modifications for quarter ending September 30, 2001

Section B3.0 Ground Water Monitoring, from Class-1-Modifications for quarter ending September 30, 2001

Section B4.0 Closure, from Class 1 Modifications for quarter ending September 30, 2001

Section B5.0 Post Closure Plan, from Class 1 Modifications for quarter ending September 30, 2001

V.19.B. AMENDMENTS TO THE APPROVED MODIFIED CLOSURE PLAN

V.19.B.1. (Reserved)

Modification Class: 12 3	Class 1	Class 11	Class 2	Class 3
Please check one of the Classes:		X		

Relevant WAC 173-303-830, Appendix I Modification:

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Enter wording of the modification from WAC 173-303-830, Appendix I citation:

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Page 2 of 9 Hanford Facility RCRA Permit Modification Notification Form Permit Part & Chapter: 1324-N Surface Impoundment & 1324-NA Percolation Pond Part VI, Chapter 3, Attachment 42 Description of Modification: Hanford Facility RCRA Permit VI.3: Move 1324-N Surface Impoundment (Part V, Chapter 18) and 1324-NA Percolation Pond (Part V, Chapter 19) from Part V, to Part VI, Chapter 3, 1324-N Surface Impoundment and 1324 NA Percolation Pond for Postclosure requirements. **CHAPTER 3** 1324-N Surface Impoundment & 1324-NA Percolation Pond The 1324-N Surface Impoundment and 1324-NA Percolation Pond are inactive TSD units that completed modified closure activities. 1324-N Surface Impoundment was operated as a surface impoundment for dangerous wastes. 1324-NA Percolation Pond was operated as a percolation unit for dangerous wastes. This Chapter sets forth the postclosure requirements for these TSD units. VI.3.A. COMPLIANCE WITH APPROVED POST CLOSURE PLAN The Permittees shall comply with all requirements set forth in Attachment 42, including the Amendments specified in Condition VI.3.B. Enforceable portions for postclosure are in Attachment 42 and are identified as follows. All subsections, figures, and tables included in these portions are also enforceable, unless stated otherwise: **ATTACHMENT 42:** Chapter 1.0 Part A, Permit Application, Revision 3A, December 31, 2003 1324-N Surface Impoundment, Revision 3A, December 31, 2003 1324-NA Percolation Pond, Revision 3A, December 31, 2003 Institutional Control and Periodic Assessments, from Class 1 Modifications for quarter ending Chapter 2.0 December 31, 2003 Postclosure Groundwater Monitoring, from Class 1 Modifications for quarter ending December 31, 2003 Chapter 3.0 Training, from Class 1 Modifications for quarter ending December 31, 2003 Chapter 4.0 Security, from Class 1 Modifications for quarter ending December 31, 2003 Chapter 5.0 Postclosure Contact, from Class I Modifications for quarter ending December 31, 2003 Chapter 6.0 Chapter 7.0 Certification of Postclosure, from Class 1 Modifications for quarter ending December 31, 2003 VI.3.B. AMENDMENTS TO THE APPROVED MODIFIED CLOSURE PLAN VI.3.B.1. (Reserved) Modification Class: 123 Class 11 Class 2 Class 1 Class 3 X Please check one of the Classes: Relevant WAC 173-303-830, Appendix I Modification: Enter wording of the modification from WAC 173-303-830, Appendix I citation: A. General Permit Provisions 1. Administrative and Informational changes

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